

THE DIALOG

NEWS AND EVENTS FOR THE STUDENTS OF GEORGE BROWN COLLEGE

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NEW EXECUTIVES ENTER OFFICE

The student councils of St. James, Casa Loma, and Kensington welcomed new executives this month.

St. James SAC found themselves looking for a Social Director after the resignation of Mike Tshernenko. Appointed in the interim was former Direct of Chartered Organizations, Tim Mitchell. After much debate it was decided that an election was to be run for that position and that of various divisional representative positions.

There were three people running for the one executive position of Social Director and although the turn out on election day was not as good as hoped there were many

more who voted in this election as opposed to that of last years spring election.

After all the ballots were counted at St. James they finally found themselves a new S.D., Tim Mitchell, the man who filled the role while the election was being run. Congratulations TIM!!!

At Casa Loma they had a void to fill in position of V.P. Marketing since the inception of the new council in the spring. It seemed that no one wanted that position. But after they ran thier own election, there was no longer a void. Mike (Chucky) Guerra came out on top in the balloting and

will sit on the executive council until the end of the term in the spring of 91.

At Kensington, President Ken Richards found himself in need of two people after Laurie Lawrence (vice-president) stepped down to pursue other avenues. After a long delay Ken now has his coouncil, since Mike Nasso was sworn in as Social Director, and Cindy May was sworn in as Vice-President. Congratulations!!!

-dialog staff

ENVIRONMENTAL MOVEMENT UNDERWAY ACCROSS GEORGE BROWN

The leaves may be starting to turn brown, but George Brown College is going green. A college-wide campain to make George Brown's campuses' environmentally freindly, was launched in mid-October.

Using the theme "George Brown thinks green", the campaign will focus on waste reduction and recycling in all parts of the college.

"We need to switch emphasis from garbage disposal mentality to a waste reduction mentality", says Director of Physical Resources James Graham, who chairs the recently established College Steering Committee on the environment.

Made up of representatives from across the College, the committee has been working to develop long-term strategies to make George Brown College more environmentally sensitive. Four, locally based campus environment committees will also be set up to address the individual needs of each campus.

One of the committee's first tasks is to set up an efficient and cost-effective recycling program. An outside contractor is being selected too handle all the College's waste products including paper, card board, glass, cans, newsprint and plastics. Special

containers will be distributed throughout the college to collect those materials for pick-up and recycling.

In 1988/89, George Brown produced 777 metric tons of waste, says Graham. In metro Toronto, the cost for dumping garbage has gone up from \$25 per ton in 1988 to \$125 per ton-and the cost is forecast to climb to \$300 per ton in the near future.

"A waste reduction program is n ot only going to help the environment; in the long run it will save the college money too," says Graham.

Versa foods will implementing it's own environmental program in October. All individually packaged condiments will be replaced with large, bulk dispensers and plastic stir sticks will be replaced by wooden ones, says Rodney Shiga, George Brown College Food Services Director.

Reducing the use of styrofoam cups is also a major focus for Versa Foods and George Brown. Shiga estimates that, on average, George Brown employees use about 500 cups per person each year.

"Were attacking this problem from two fronts," says Shiga. "We'll be selling reusable, plastic mugs at cost and we are

also investigating a polystyrene recycling contractor to make use of the remaining waste."

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By: Mario Di Carlo

Earlier this month, something appeared in the windows of the SAC Shack that caused a bit of a commotion. I guess the proper name of the item is a "sex doll". Though I really can't picture anyone using it for that purpose. The problem was that some people found the doll "sexist," "discriminating towards women," "and in bad taste." I must mention that the doll had a pair of track pants and a t-shirt on. The doll was also holding a chocolate bar in it's mouth.

I can't see how the doll can be seen in a negative manner. The doll was being used as a mannequin for displaying clothing the store sells. The doll itself was not for sale. It was only a display. The parts that were made to look like a females privates were completely concealed. I would say that a majority of the people knew that it was a "sex doll," but from a little survey that I took, about 98% said that it was fine because of what it had on.

When you get down to it, all the doll is a piece of rubber shaped to look like a woman. There are dolls out there that look like men. It just so happens that on my birthday my friends thought it was a funny idea to get me a doll (the one who went to purchase it was a female!) That's the reason the doll is a female and not a male.

I apologize to anyone was sincerely offended by the doll, it was not my intention to do that. To all the people who complained just because they are complainers - get a life, find something worth while for yourself to do!

Dear Editor,

I am madder than hell about what I have read in the City College News. How in the world can the college justify spending any amount of money on giveaways for staff at our school. When I pay my tuition and other such fees I do not expect the money to be spent on free coffee cups for the staff. It is not the free cups that bother me as much as the principle of the matter. I constantly hear complaints from students who say that they do not have enough equipment or facilities for their course, whether it be Nursing, Graphic Arts or Business. It is time to wake up and smell the coffee George Brown, and it should not be with free coffee cups. Sincerely,

Timothy D. Mitchell
Director of Social Event
St. James
Student Administrative Council

Commentary on the History of the Upgrading Department

Oct. 14, 1990 - Hermann Janzen

Nothing illumines the spirit of this department better than the two-and-a-half-year coverup of a crime that led not only to the departure of our chairperson and dean but also to the total re-alignment of our department. The silence is deafening and extends even to the new chair and new dean. The crime is forgery. A hate mongering note with the forged initials of a member of faculty, H.J., who had become intensely unpopular over his obdurate demands for a more democratic approach to the business of the department.

The exposure of the forgery led only to greater measures of harassment against H.J., spearheaded by the chair with the participation of the co-ordinators and others members of the department. When the matter came to the president's attention, he called in chair and dean and had them committed to a series of open discussions of the affairs of the department in order to clear the air. They broke their promises and were relieved of their duties in an entire re-organization of the department. For the transitional time the harassment was intensified. To this day no discussion of these matters has ever taken place. When pre-sented with the evidence of the crime, colleagues show no surprise and no interest. They simply say they know nothing about it.

A thick pathological fog of connivance and denial has settled in. The most telling document attesting to this is a petition to the president to re-instate the former chair signed by all but four members of the department with three addition signatures by outsiders filled on to make up the deficit and to suggest to the president that it was unanimous. In veiw of the official reading that the chair resigned voluntarily, the tone of the petition with it's nearly hysterical expression of trustis so inappropriate as to expose it's odious sub-text, the continued war against H.J.

I am H.J. and my feud with the former dean with his system of operation goes back twenty some years. What I have always fought against is his tendency to reward certain favorites with time out of the class room. This approach inevitably creates a star system with the stars being out of the classroom and snipping at the suckers who didn't make it out. The classroom then becomes a dungeon for the dullards. That is the most widely accepted, unconsciously operating, metaphore on both sides of the boat. No-one speaks about this openly, of course, so that gradually an atmosphere of hypocrisy and unethical dealings results, which stifles all pedagogical dialogue. A massive evaluation of our department from the students' perspective was undertaken three years ago, but the results were suppressed because they were an exact contra-

diction of the official propaganda.

Finally, this story is not entirely without it's heroes. Heather McClure was never cowed into turning against me even when she came in for a good deal of abuse. The president played a valient role though he was walking over a minefield of treachery and deceit. The new chairperson has struggled to maintain some semblance of dignity in an atmosphere of dishonesty and spite. My deeper gratitude belongs to the students, who actively supported me when they became aware of the punitive machinations against me.

If my thank you list is pitifully short, that should embarrass all the people involved, including myself. Needless to say, I hope that some good may come out of this composition, that it may be accepted as an olive branch thought it has the cutting edge of a sword.

CAFETERIA CLEANING

Initially upon seeing the petition posted outside the North End Cafeteria (smoking section), asking for support in having the ventilation and lighting improved, and overall cleanliness improved, we quickly jumped on the band wagon and added our names.

Since that impulsive moment we have had second thoughts to exactly what it is that we are endorsing.

We agree that more lighting is needed and that during peak periods (pub night especially) that the ventilation is inadequate.

However, it occurs to us that should assume some responsibility for the cleanliness of our own enciroment.

Think back to the last time you were in the smoking section, or anywhere in the cafeteria for that matter. What was the last thing you did before leaving? If you didn't dispose of your cups, plates, etc., then you are one of the people contributing to this problem. This is clearly an issue that we can collectively and individually alleviate with little effort.

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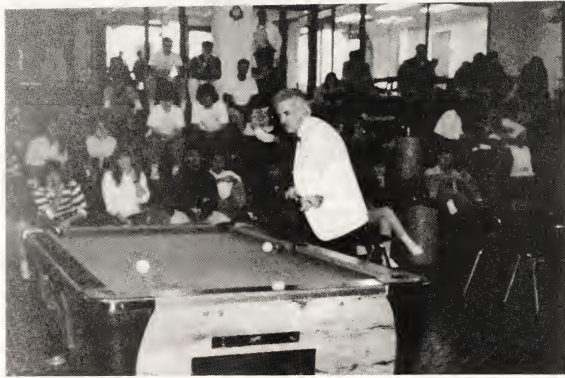
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THE MONTH'S EVENTS IN REVIEW

October was a busy and exciting month. Camp Zu featured some very talented performers such as Tom Anzalone, the off beat humour of Kenny Robinson, the brilliant sounds of Mike Woods, and Johnny Flamingo and the Livingroom Experience.

During the second last week of the month, both St. James and Casa Loma student councils brought in the Canadian 9-ball and 8-ball pool champion, Gerry Watson, to put on a show. He amazed many with a wide variety of simply astounding shots. He also gave away one of his very popular video cassettes and a little instruction to for those wishing to improve thier game, before embarrassing some very courageous challengers.

The highlight of the month was the trip to Kitchener's Bingham Park for the annual college Oktoberfest party. This is one the best parties of the year for college students in the southern part of Ontario. There were about ten colleges in attendance for this event presented by Rick Davis Promotions. Thousands of students packed the facility to sing a cheer, have a few drinks, and show their school spirit for the judges. George Brown came third in the eyes of the judges for spirit and attendance.



UPDATE FROM CASA LOMA

We here at Casa Loma Student Council hear students say, "Casa Loma SAC does nothing about what goes on to help students. They just give us pubs and comedians." I'm sorry that some of our students feel this way. These are some of the projects that Casa Loma SAC are undertaking:

S.M.E. (Society of Manufacturing Engineer's) is a chapter organization that deals with all aspects of what goes in in the engineering world. Some of the benefits for being in the S.M.E. are having guest speakers come in to explain new products. There are also trips to the S.M.E. plants, most are factories across Toronto.

To all Architecture students. There is a new club this year called Organic Architecture Club. This club is about the construction of a future city in model size.

There is also a new International Students organization. The first meeting will be held in room B316 here at Casa Loma on November 8.

For more information on any of these club or organizations or about starting a new one please contact Christopher Gregoris at 944-4313 or 921-4322.

One last note to all first year students, class representative are needed for home rooms. Come down to the SAC office in room C210 for more information about this and any other news and events happening at Casa Loma.

A BRIEF MESSAGE FROM OUR SEC CHAIR

Well people, it's been 8 weeks since the first day of school here at George Brown College and I want to know what you think of it so far. We've had some fairly good events for the students up to now but I seriously think that we could do a lot more for you.

Now for us to do some of these great ideas we have to have some input from who it's going to effect: YOU!

Just from walking through the halls I can hear a lot of murmuring about how student life has been so far. But, I don't think that murmuring is going to make a difference, to get your point across your going to have to raise a little HELL. If you have a wild idea that you think other students might be interested in then go to the SAC Office and say something. No matter how zanny it might be, let's give it a shot.

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LEAVE IT TO SYDNEY

'Diary of Eugene Jones
Dear Diary:

September 25th 1990

Today was an amazing day. This morning I woke up at 6:00am as usual, and turned off the Goofy Alarm clock I got for Christmas, in order to practice my Brain Teasers before my 9:00am class. I showered, after, being sure that I used some of the new Grecian Formula 2 mom bought for my hair, I was feeling pretty fine, so I put on my lucky outfit, you know, the baby blue polyester bellbottoms and countrypolaid shirt with built in pocket protractor containing the tie-coloured pen combination highlighter. I was so busy trying to look good for class, that I was running late, so I dashed down the stairs and out the kitchen door-grabbing on my way out the new Ninja Turtle lunch box my momm bought and headed of to G.B.C.

The cafeteria today was out of control. It looked like a Pee-Wee Herman convention gone wild. I think it's pledge week for the fraternity. Personally, I like it. A lot of people think Pee-Wee Herman is a nerd; but I think he is neither a Jock or a Prep. He has his own unique set of values. Pee-Wee is cool; I think he is a lot like me: skinny, smart, same slick hair and healthy laugh. You know, if he did not need contacts for T.V., I think he would wear the same thick black glasses - minus the bandaid holding it together because he can afford more than one pair. A girl called me a Dweb today. I wonder if that means she likes me?

Well Diary, Teddy and I are tired, after all its past 8:00pm. more tomorrow....

LOVE Eug & teddy

Upcoming Events

November

1st - St. James Pub, Featuring Carl Strong, 2-7pm

8th - St. James Club Pub, Marketing Club, 2-7pm

15th - St. James Pub, Corky and the Juice Pigs, 2-7pm

22nd - St. James Pub, "Molson Night" ???, 2-7pm

29th - St. James Club Pub, Escoffier Club, 2-7pm

30th - 1990 MASCOT CHAMPIONSHIP
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- Volleyball
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- Salsa dance lessons
- Beer chugs
- Belly flops
- Best legs contest
- Murder mystery
- Dance bash
- Live bands

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DEAR GEORGIE

Dear Georgie:

I was deeply appalled at last months "Dear Georgie" column. I found it to be very sexist and degrading. Why don't you try and use your kindergarden so-called talent to benefit the students of George Brown and not waste their time.

to do. How could this happen?

Help

Dear Help:

There is help available for people in your situation. Probably the best place to go is the Bay Centre for Birth Control (901 Bay Street) or you can call them at 920-1263.

Also, if you ever have a problem that you feel you can't talk to anyone about, try someone in your individual Campus Counseling Office. That's why they're there.

And to the rest of you people out there; if your going to play you had best "WRAP THAT WRASKELL."

Pattie

Dear Pattie:

To quote the honourable Mr. B. Simpson. "EAT MY SHORTS' MAN!"

Dear Georgie:

I've fallen and I can't get up!

Ethel

Dear Ethel:

Get the Clapper!

Dear Georgie:

I think that I'm pregnant. I can't talk to anyone about this and I don't know what

****What's YOUR crisis? Georgie wants to help by giving advice to the needy of George Brown. Drop your problem off in the Dialog news box in the SAC Office or give it to a SAC Executive in a sealed envelope.****

AEROBATHON

On Wednesday October 24th in the St. James campus gymnasium, G.B.C. Athletics held it's annual aerobathon. This four hour event, a yearly fund raiser for the athletics deptment attracted over 65 participants. Who were given pledge sheets, had to go out and seek sponsors. For those who were able to get \$50 or more in pledges were awarded an official G.B.C. Aerobathon t-shirt. Twenty-eight people took advantage of this bonus. There were other prizes donated by various organizations given away through draws and contests, such as "the ugliest pair of shoes."

All in all it was a successful experience for all who participated. The staff thanks all who came out and hopes that the turn out will grow in the years to come.

****PLEASE HONOUR PLEDGES****

**-Michel Lamy
Sports Editor**

SOCCER SEASON OVER, WOMEN FINISH SECOND

It was a case of the terrible twos for the women's varsity soccer team this season. Everywhere they looked the number two kept popping up. Here are the facts:

- the team's goal this year was to make it to the OCAA's for the second consecutive time
- a second place finish in the Seneca Tournament
- a second place finish in the Belleville Tournament
- a second place finish in the league standings to Redeemer

So now you see what we mean by the terrible two's.

Although loosing only on league game (1-0) to Redeemer, the entire season was decided by that outcome. One or two goals was the difference between finishing in first and second. "Lookong back at that game" said coach Warren green, "we outplayed, and out hustled them, but we just couldn't put the ball in the net."

Green mentioned that the lack of scoring punch may be to do with the fact that the team seldomly practice as a whole squad. Players schooling commitments and a suitable practice facility close to school were major contributing factors to the team's lack of cohesiveness.

"It was a talented group of players to work



with," said Green. "But more practise time together might have made the difference," Green reiterated.

"I would like to thank all the players for their hard work and dedication," said coach Green.

If the word dedication could be associated with the women's team, lack of dedication best describes the men's team. With eight players returning from last years squad and a win in the last preseason game, 1-0 over Seneca, the season looked promising. After an opening game loss to Connestoga, by a score of 3-1, the season started to unravel. "the players seemed to lose interest and stopped showing up after that game," said coach Green. The team played the majority of their games with nine men as compared to eleven for the opposition. "We were very competitive in

all of our games," said Green, "but in the end the lack of bodies caught up to us."

For the players who kept showing up game in and gmae out coach Green is grateful. "I commend all the guys who hung in there for the whole season," said Green, "many of them played hurt, and that take a lot of courage and dedication. I am very proud of these players".

Now that the outdoor season is over for both women's and men's soccer teams, it is with renewed optimism that coach Green and his players look forward to the indoor season. The men's team will try to defend the provincial title they won last year. While the women hope to duplicate the men's effort of last year.

In closing the coach would like to give special thanks to co-coach Samson Oshunrinde for all his help with both teams. "His help was greatly appreciated by both me and the players," said Green.

Hockey's Most Peculiar Names

Now that the NHL season is underway we thought we would supply you with a few names that you will probably be hearing a lot of this year.

Uwe Krupp, Buf.
Mikko Makela, Buf.
Dave Snuggerud, Buf.
Per Djoos, Det.
Esa Tikkanen, Edm.
Peter Sidorkiewicz, Hart.
Ulf Dahlen, Min.
Jarmo Myllys, Min.
Ilkka Sinisalo, Min.
Dave Marcinyshyn, N.J.
Per-Erik Eklund, Phil.
Curtis Leschyshyn, Que.
Ron Tugnutt, Que.
Zarley Zalapski, Pitt.

- with honourable mention: Mike Ramsey - Buf., Rob Ramage, Tor.
- and those players whose parents wanted girls: Kay Whitmore -Buf., Laurie Boschman - N.J., Carey Wilson - Hart.

-Mario Di Carlo

Environmental...

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The College committee will be distributing free plastic mugs to all College staff to launch the 'George Brown thinks green' campaign. To encourage staff and students to reuse the plastic mugs, Versa will sell each 14-oz. coffee refill at the 12-oz. price.

If you have any environmentally friendly ideas or would like to volunteer on a campus committee, contact your campus representative: St. James, Bill Fallis or Fiona Hueber at 867-2064; Kensington, Dave Dawson at 867-2379; Casa Loma, Bryan Gregg at 944-4521; Nightingale, Kathleen Alexander at 867-2310.

THINK GREEN

You can start making George Brown environmentally friendly right now. Here are

some useful tips offered by second-year Community Worker student and part-time waste management co-ordinator, Joyce Van Veenendaal, on how to reduce waste in the office:

- * make two sided copies, rather than single-sided
- * circulate one copy of a memo with a routing slip attached, rather than photocopies
- * Keep you memos and letters to one page
- * regularly check distribution lists, and remove the names of those who no longer want or need the information
- * substitute telephone calls or face-to-face conversation for memos and letters whenever documentation is unnecessary
- * print computer documents after all revisions have been made on the screen
- * borrow your colleague's newspaper
- * use the back of old letters, flyers or one-sided copies for scratch paper
- * reuse large mailing envelopes.

What's New At GBC!

The St. James Student Council is proud to announce that it has purchased a FAX machine for student use. There is a nominal charge of .25 cents per page for either sending or receiving.

Did you catch a glance at the new furniture at the 200 King St. entrance and in the basement?

The Campus Manger at the Nightingale and Kensington Campus has been fired.

A College Environment Committee has been started up to try and reduce the amount waste in the college and to kick the campaign off, the committee is going to give College Staff free mugs!

That's right my fellow students, the people making the money are getting free coffee mugs and the students get a discount on the Cup 'O Crap.

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GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE

Socially Speaking

Hi there! This is a new column is a new feature in the dialog and it is something I hope I can produce on a monthly basis. I will try to tackle issues that I feel are of importance to students. I will be speaking about the issue whatever it may be, in my opinion, and I would welcome any questions or comments about the said issue. I will also inform students of upcoming events.

The first issue that come to mind is the sad state of the cafeteria at St. James. The smoking area of the cafe, is one of the most disgusting areas in the school. It is bad enough to have a smoking habit let alone having to sit in there and choke on everyone's else's smoke. This area is said to have some separate ventilation system, but, I would seriously question whether or not it is operational.

On top of the gross air we have to breath (stale smoke from the day before), the tables are quite horrendous looking. I am now aware that the cleaning of tables is the responsibility of Versa Foods (who we all know and love). When are these people going to wake up and smell the garbage. It is not fair assumption that students are going to clean up after themselves and therefore Versa should have a person hired on a full-time to keep the cafeteria tables cleared of garbage. This is not an unfair request considering the money Versa makes

compared to the quality of food they serve.

The only way things will change is if more people complain about the appearance of the cafeteria. Remember the saying "power in numbers".

On to upcoming events. Look for the 1990 Mascot Championships at Lulu's Roadhouse in kitchener (see and in this paper). Don't forget Camp Zu the weekly Pub held in the smoking area (watch for posters). Christmas Boat Cruise to be held on the Mathew Flinder, Wed. Dec. 5/90. This beautiful close boat has two dance floors. It is guaranteed to be a really good time.

If you have any questions or would like to make any suggestions please come into the SAC office (in the basement of 200 King St. E.) or call 867-2454. I will consider just about any event you would like. Thank you and until we meet again please SMILE!!!

Timothy D. Mitchell
Social Director
St. James S.A.C.

Academic staff, students to elect Board representatives on Dec.6

College-wide elections will be held Dec.6 to choose new student and academic staff representatives for George Brown's Board of Governors.

More than 20,000 full-and part-time students, and more than 2,000 full-time, continuing education and sessional academic employees, including teachers, counsellors and librarians, are eligible to run for election and vote.

The seat on the 17-member Board, which is the highest decision making body in the College, are currently held by Community Services student Jane Eastwood and Deaf and Hard of Hearing Department teacher Amy Thorton, who is also president of the academic employee's local of the Ontario Public Service Employee's Union.

Both Eastwood and Thorton were acclaimed.

The Board is made up of 12 community representatives appointed by the Ontario Council of Regents, four internally-elected representatives - an administrator, academic, support staff and student - and the College president.

To adjust to a change in the start and end of member's terms made by the council of Regents, the student elected on Dec. 6 will

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Wanted: president

An ad seeking a new president for George Brown was placed in the Globe and Mail on Oct. The ad, placed by an executive search firm for the College, says candidates for the job should have "exceptional leadership ability" a "consultative management style" and must "empower employee's by delegating appropriate authority."

The new president is expected to take office early in 1991, on the retirement of Doug Light.

Staff and students were consulted about their views of the new president at meetings in September.

Post-secondary enrolment is up more than 10%

The R-word in Canada's economy means the E-word at George Brown.

Enrolment in post-secondary programs is up more than 10 percent from last fall, and that may be partly due to more unemployment and fewer job opportunities.

"Part of it is a function of the recession," says acting Academic Vice-President Bob Struthers.

This year the College got large number of applications in middle and late summer, just as the economy took a turn for the worst, he says.

While the recession may have helped, Struthers says George Brown staff are largely responsible for the increase themselves by developing new programs - such as Sports Marketing and Dental Office Administration - increasing enrolment quotas in existing programs, and taking a more active role in recruiting students for their programs.

Staff in many departments kept close contact with applicants over the summer, he says.

In all, the number of first year students increased by just under 13 per cent, while the number of returning students was up almost seven per cent, for a total of 6,541.

The increase in returning students, which was particularly large in the Architecture Technology Department, is impressive after a college year that was interrupted by a strike, Struthers says.

George Brown's 10 per cent enrolment increase is higher than that of other metro colleges, and twice the average of all Ontario colleges. That's good news because colleges that exceed average system-wide enrolment growth are rewarded with larger provincial grant two years later. The provincial grant accounts for more than 40 per cent of the College's \$100-million budget.

This year, George Brown got just under 14,200 applications for post-secondary programs - 300 more than last year.

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serve a term from Jan. 1, 1991 to Aug. 31, 1992. The academic representative elected this year will serve from Jan. 1, 1991 to Aug. 31, 1993. In subsequent elections, the terms of office will be one year for students and three years for staff representatives.

Nominations for both staff and students open Oct. 29 and close at 5pm on Nov. 99.

Nominations forms are available from campus managers.

The polls will be open on Dec. 6 from 7am to 7pm at all campuses. Advance polling will take place during the same hours on Dec. 3.

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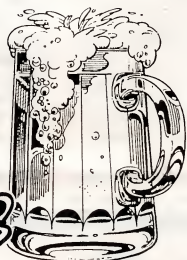
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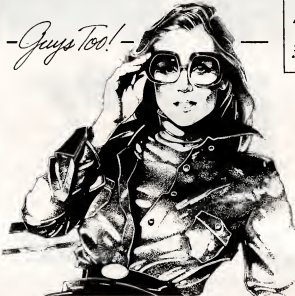
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